STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1665

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 2 9 2019

RE: S.R. No. 150

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2019 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred S.R. No. 150 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ADOPT THE USE OF ELECTRONIC TRANSCRIPTS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to urge the Department of Education to adopt the use of electronic transcripts.

Your Committee did not receive any testimony on this measure.

Your Committee finds that each public school is tasked with keeping students' education records, or transcripts, which help schools, students, and families track students' progress in school. Transcripts are also important documents for opportunities after high school, such as college admission, scholarship eligibility, and employment. Therefore, it is important that these documents are stored safely and that the upkeep of these documents incorporate the advantages of technology in today's digital world. This will help to improve student satisfaction, achieve operational process efficiencies, and provide cost savings.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Education that is attached to this report, your

Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 150 and recommends its adoption.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Education,

MICHELLE N. KIDANI, Chair

The Senate Thirtieth Legislature State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes Committee on Education EDU

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee	Referral:		Date:	
SR 150	EDU			3/18/19	
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is: Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WF	R) Nay	Excused
KIDANI, Michelle N. (C)					
KIM, Donna Mercado (VC)					
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.					/
KANUHA, Dru Mamo		/			
FEVELLA, Kurt		/			
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Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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